

PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT[641]

Adopted and Filed

Rule making related to organization of the department

The Public Health Department hereby amends Chapter 170, “Organization of the Department,” Iowa Administrative Code.

Legal Authority for Rule Making

This rule making is adopted under the authority provided in 2017 Iowa Acts, House File 653, division XXIII, and 2018 Iowa Acts, Senate File 2418, section 110 [Iowa Code section 135.15].

State or Federal Law Implemented

This rule making implements, in whole or in part, 2017 Iowa Acts, House File 653, division XXIII, and 2018 Iowa Acts, Senate File 2418, section 110.

Purpose and Summary

The amendments are minor cleanup actions related to recent legislation. 2018 Iowa Acts, Senate File 2418, section 110, updated the name of the “oral health bureau” to the “oral and health delivery system bureau.” The amendment in Item 1 updates the bureau name. 2017 Iowa Acts, House File 653, division XXIII, removed all references to the Office of Minority and Multicultural Health from the Iowa Code. House File 653 also removed the underlying statutory authority for Chapter 82, which was rescinded in 2018. The amendment in Item 2 rescinds the paragraph that refers to that office. The amendment in Item 3 reletters the remaining paragraphs in subrule 170.7(6).

Public Comment and Changes to Rule Making

Notice of Intended Action for this rule making was published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin on March 27, 2019, as **ARC 4360C**. No public comments were received. No changes from the Notice have been made.

Adoption of Rule Making

This rule making was adopted by the State Board of Health on May 8, 2019.

Fiscal Impact

This rule making has no fiscal impact to the State of Iowa.

Jobs Impact

After analysis and review of this rule making, no impact on jobs has been found.

Waivers

Any person who believes that the application of the discretionary provisions of this rule making would result in hardship or injustice to that person may petition the Department for a waiver of the discretionary provisions, if any, pursuant to the Department’s variance and waiver provisions contained in 641—Chapter 178.

Review by Administrative Rules Review Committee

The Administrative Rules Review Committee, a bipartisan legislative committee which oversees rule making by executive branch agencies, may, on its own motion or on written request by any individual or

group, review this rule making at its [regular monthly meeting](#) or at a special meeting. The Committee's meetings are open to the public, and interested persons may be heard as provided in Iowa Code section 17A.8(6).

Effective Date

This rule making will become effective on July 10, 2019.

The following rule-making actions are adopted:

ITEM 1. Amend paragraph **170.7(6)“b”** as follows:

b. The oral and health delivery system bureau, overseen by the public health dental director, promotes and advances health behaviors to reduce the risk of oral diseases and improve the oral health status of all Iowans. Programs are in place targeting pregnant women, children, and youth for the prevention, early identification, referral, and treatment of oral disease.

ITEM 2. Rescind paragraph **170.7(6)“d.”**

ITEM 3. Reletter paragraphs **170.7(6)“e”** to **“h”** as **170.7(6)“d”** to **“g.”**

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